

In the
Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF
APPOINTMENTS TO THE
COMMISSION ON IMPROVING
THE STATUS OF CHILDREN
IN INDIANA

) Supreme Court Cause No.
) 94S00-1305-MS- 387
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ORDER OF APPOINTMENT

The General Assembly has created the Commission on Improving the Status of Children in Indiana (hereinafter “the Commission”). *See generally* Ind. Code ch. 2-5-36 (2013). The enabling legislation authorizes the Chief Justice of Indiana to appoint “[o]ne (1) judge or justice with experience in juvenile law” to the Commission to serve a four-year term. *See* Ind. Code § 2-5-36-4(7) & (13).

Pursuant to my authority under Indiana Code section 2-5-36-4, I hereby APPOINT Justice Loretta Rush of this Court to the Commission. Justice Rush’s term shall commence on July 1, 2013, and conclude on June 30, 2017, unless a successor is not appointed by that date, in which case the term will carry over until a successor is appointed.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this order to Hon. Loretta Rush, Associate Justice of the Indiana Supreme Court; to Susan Lightfoot, Henry County Probation Department, 1215 Race Street, Suite 160, New Castle, IN 47362; to Michael Pence, Governor of Indiana; Rep. Brian Bosma, Speaker of the Indiana House of Representatives; to Sen. David Long, President Pro Tempore of the Indiana Senate; Rep. Scott Pelath, Minority Leader of the Indiana House of Representatives; Sen. Timothy Lanane, Minority Leader of the Indiana Senate; Glenda Ritz, Indiana Superintendent of Public Instruction; Hon. Mary Beth Bonaventura, Director of the Indiana Department of Child Services; Dave Powell, Executive Director of the Indiana Prosecuting Attorneys Council; Larry Landis, Executive Director of the Indiana Public Defender Council; Debra Minot, Secretary of the Indiana Family and Social Services Administration; Dr. William C. VanNess II, Indiana State Health Commissioner; Mike Dempsey, Director of the Department of Correction Division of Youth Services; Lilia Judson, Executive Director of the Indiana Supreme Court Division of State Court Administration; Kevin Moore, Director of the Indiana Division of Mental Health and Addiction; Gregory Zoeller, Attorney General of Indiana; and to the Indiana Supreme Court Administration Office. The Clerk is also directed to post this order to the Court’s website.

Done at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 29th day of May, 2013.

Brent E. Dickson
Chief Justice of Indiana